Dear Santa,

We are from Waveland and our home was at:

[redacted] SHIPP ST.

We are now living at:

Address: [redacted] SHIPP ST. (FEMA TRAILER)

City WAVELAND State MS Zipcode 39576

Phone No. [redacted]

Our family consists of:

RICK [redacted] - FATHER ([redacted]

JODY [redacted] - MOTHER

ROCKY [redacted] - SON LEAH [redacted] - MOTHER-IN-LAW

RICKY [redacted] - SON RAY [redacted] - SON

Our Katrina experience was:

EVACUATE TO HOUSTON. TRAVEL TO KANSAS. BACK TO HOME 6 DAYS AFTER STORM + TRY TO SALVAGE WHAT COULD AFTER 6' OF WATER INSIDE. SLEEP IN BACK OF EXPLORER AND USE CRAWFISH POT + BURNER TO HEAT WATER FOR BATHS. WORK FROM DAYLIGHT TO DARK GUTTING + CLEANING HOUSE. EAT MRE' AND EAT AT THE HIPPIE TENT. WE THANK GOD FOR THE FEMA TRAILER.

Write something special that you would like Santa to bring you or your family:

WE THANK GOD THAT OUR FAMILY IS ALL SAFE AND ALIVE AFTER KATRINA. THIS IS THE GREATEST GIFT WE COULD RECEIVE. WE ARE 4TH GENERATION WAVELAND RESIDENTS AND LOVE OUR TOWN AND WE ARE STAYING.

Please use back or another sheet of paper, if you want to write more. We want to hear your story.

Return by November 30th to:

Mayor's Office, City of Waveland, P. O. Box 539, Waveland, MS 39576